

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF ARMTHORPE PARISH COUNCIL HELD IN
ARMTHORPE COMMUNITY CENTRE, WELFARE PARK, CHURCH STREET,
ARMTHORPE, ON TUESDAY, 5TH JULY 2016

PRESENT:-

Chairman - Councillor F.J. Tyas

Councillors N. Berry, A. Berwick, S.J. Cherry, T. Corden, M.J. Doran,
R. Fretwell, I.E. Walstow and M. Walton.

APOLOGIES

Apologies for absence were received from the Vice-Chairman, Councillor
S.L. McGuinness and Councillors Mrs. A. Berwick, E. Butler, A.L. Dickson,
P.A. Hanson and C.J. McGuinness.

45. DECLARATIONS OF PERSONAL AND PREJUDICIAL INTERESTS

No declarations were made at the meeting.

46. MINUTES

RESOLVED that the Minutes of the meeting of the Council held on
7th June 2016 (copies of which had previously been circulated
to each Member) be approved as a correct record and signed by
the Chairman.

47. MINUTES OF SPECIAL MEETING

RESOLVED that the Minutes of the special meeting of the Council
held on 28th June 2016 (copies of which had previously been
circulated to each Member) be approved as a correct record and
signed by the Chairman.

48. BURIALS

RESOLVED it be noted that since the last meeting of the Council,
there had been 3 interments and 2 interments of cremated remains
at the Rands Lane burial ground.

49. ACCOUNTS FOR PAYMENT

RESOLVED

(1) that the following schedule of accounts paid or for payment
be approved:-

	£		
Children with Cancer UK	100.00	Grant	509641
D. Cooke	518.40	Gardening charges	509646
D. Cooke	10.00	Petrol	509647
HM Revenue & Customs	2,217.57	Tax, National Insurance	509650

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	£		
South Yorkshire Pensions Authority	1,070.65	Superannuation contributions	509651
Employees	7,957.52	Pay	509652-509667
South Yorkshire Pensions Authority	1,000.00	Additional superannuation contribution	509669
Ricoh UK Limited	315.00	Copier rental and charges	509671
M. Teasdale	460.00	Internal audit fee	509673
J. Hepworth	536.60	Accountancy services	509674

(2) that the following schedule of accounts paid or for payment which was approved by the Council's Community Centre and General Purposes Committee on 21st June 2016, be noted:-

	£		
Health & Safety Publications	105.00	H & S Service Level Agreement - 1/3-31/5/16	509630
Quicksteps Trophies	307.78	Trophies and medals	509631
British Gas Services (Commercial) Ltd.	1,227.77	Annual service etc.	509632
Gas & Hire Ltd.	11.88	Cylinder hire 3/16	509636
O. Garner	60.00	Dance fees - 10/5 & 24/5	509639
Analogue Electrics Ltd.	566.59	Supply & install fluorescent Tubes in main hall	509640
Cash	100.00	Petty cash - CC	509642
Gas & Hire Ltd.	11.88	Cylinder hire 5/16	509643
Yorkshire Purchasing Organisation	34.09	Cleaning materials	509644
A.G. Barr plc	79.28	Soft drinks	509645
M.L. Dyminiuk	160.00	Dance fees - 19/4, 3, 17 & 31/5	509648
Approved Fire Protection Ltd.	182.40	Annual inspection etc.	509668
	£		Credit card
Strictly Tables and Chairs Ltd.	727.67	10 x 5' round banqueting tables	06.06.16
Morrisons Supermarkets	18.56	Scones etc. - Tea Dance - Queen's 90 th Birthday	14.06.16

50. PLANNING

RESOLVED that the 2 applications submitted to Doncaster Borough Council since the last meeting of the Parish Council, for planning permission to carry out development in Armthorpe, be noted and no objections or comments be submitted in respect of the same.

51. WARD MEMBERS' REPORTS

RESOLVED that Ward Councillor T. Corden, be thanked for reporting and supplying information on the following matters:-

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- (1) the developer of the Borough Council housing development on Mere Lane was keeping local residents living in that vicinity informed of the development's progress;
- (2) a tree trunk was obstructing passage along Public Footpath Number 1 and the Borough Council's Public Rights of Way Officers were investigating the matter with a view to arranging removal of the obstruction;
- (3) a horse had been tethered on the grassed open space on Ruskin Drive but after service of a removal notice on the owner, it had been removed;
- (4) the flight path over Armthorpe had not been changed but aeroplanes flying in the vicinity may drift from their flight paths if it is windy weather and the situation is monitored;
- (5) there are problems of drones flying in the vicinity of Robin Hood Sheffield Doncaster Airport but currently there is no legislation covering this matter;
- (6) the Miners' Memorial Service was to be held in the Welfare Park Remembrance Garden on Sunday, 4th September 2016 at 12 noon and all are welcome to attend;
- (7) the owners of Barton Lane are going to prohibit motor vehicles parking on the same but he has asked the Borough Council to look at the legality of this matter.

52. BARTON LANE

RESOLVED it be noted that the Clerk had informed the meeting that Barton Lane, despite being privately owned, was a public highway to which the public have unfettered access and only Doncaster Borough Council, the local highway authority, could impose parking restrictions.

53. SOUTH YORKSHIRE POLICE

RESOLVED that the media statement issued by the South Yorkshire Police and Crime Commissioner, Dr. Alan Billings, be noted, which advised that:-

- (1) the College of Policing had been asked for support in considering the force's operational and organisational capability and capacity, as part of a wider assessment of how the force was operating;
- (2) following the peer review, a report had now been published of the findings, which would provide a picture for the incoming Chief Constable of the strengths and weaknesses within the organisation with recommendations.

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54. DMBC - VARIOUS MATTERS

RESOLVED

- (1) that the contents of a letter from Doncaster Borough Council, be noted, regarding:-
 - (a) a proposed Borough-wide Public Spaces Protection Order (PSPO), which is designed to stop individuals or groups of individuals committing anti-social behaviour in public spaces and also replace outdated legislation relating to dog fouling and dog control; and
 - (b) giving notice of the 28 days consultation which is currently taking place and seeking comments on the proposed PSPO;
- (2) that the Borough Council be requested to:-
 - (a) take remedial action to prevent water ponding in Nutwell Lane in the vicinity of the Horse & Groom public house;
 - (b) remove accumulations of rubbish from Holmewood Lane and Armthorpe Road;
 - (c) repair 3 or 4 deep potholes in King Street;
 - (d) once again investigate complaints of motor vehicles parking on both sides of the footway in Gunhills Lane, which is obstructing the pedestrian rights of way;
 - (e) investigate and take immediate action to repair the street lighting column 44951 situate at the junction with Church Street and Mere Lane, which despite repeated resident's complaints has not been working for 4 months (job reference 414931);
 - (f) arrange for a hedge that is overhanging the footway situate at the junction of The Lings and Whiphill Lane to be cut back.

55. SOUTH YORKSHIRE POLICE

RESOLVED that the police be requested to pay attention to motor vehicles exceeding the 30 miles per hour speed limit on Doncaster Road.

Signature